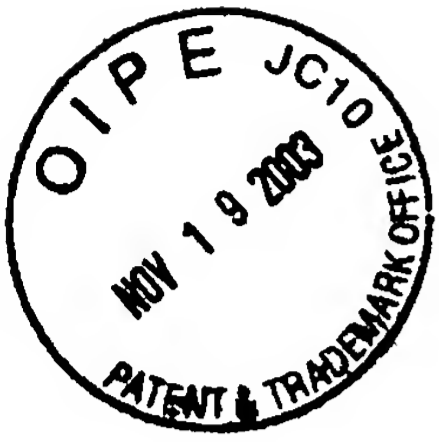


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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR SECTION 1.312

Sir:

This paper is being filed subsequent to allowance pursuant to 37 CFR Section 1.312.
Entry of the proposed amendment to the claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of
this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.